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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :  
Hideyuki TAKEDA et al. : **Mail Stop: PCT**  
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SYNCHRONIZING OF A DIGITAL :  
SIGNAL USING A PCR PROGRAM :  
CLOCK REFERENCE :  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO PROVIDE ANY DEPOSIT  
FEES FOR THIS INVENTION TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 28-0075

Sir:

Prior to initial examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

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